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### **GOV. EASLEY APPOINTS MEYERS TO COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND**

**RALEIGH** – Gov. Mike Easley has appointed **Terri Cofield Meyers** of Raleigh to the North Carolina Commission for the Blind.

Meyers is a parent educator at the Exceptional Children's Assistance Center. She is an advisory board member for the Council on Educational Services for Exceptional Children, chair of the human services committee and a member of the board of directors of the Autism Society of North Carolina and an executive board member of N.C. Parents as Teachers. Meyers received the Parent Leadership Award from the President's Committee on Mental Retardation in 1997. She received her Bachelor's degree in sociology from Hunter College of the City University of New York.

The council serves the Division on Services for the Blind in an advisory capacity on issues relating to services for persons with disabilities, especially independent living programs and services. The council also develops and submits a state plan to monitor, review and evaluate such issues and programs. There are 13 members on the board, each serving a three-year term. The governor appoints all members.

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